

MEMORANDUM FOR ALL MPFs/DPMs

FROM: HQ ARPC/DPBB
6760 E Irvington Place #2020
Denver CO 80280-2020

SUBJECT: Air Force Reserve Selected Reserve Judge Advocate (JAG) and Chaplain Captain and Line and Nonline Major Selective Continuation Boards, 13-18 Jun 05

The Chief of the Air Force Reserve (USAFR) has requested approval from the Secretary of the Air Force to convene selective continuation boards at the conclusion of the FY06 USAFR JAG and Chaplain Major Promotion Selection Boards and Line and Nonline Lieutenant Colonel Promotion Selection Boards.

The selective continuation board will consider USAFR JAG and Chaplain Captains and Line and Nonline Majors who are on the Reserve Active Status List (RASL) and assigned to the Selected Reserve or who are limited extended active duty (LEAD) officers serving with the active component of the USAF for periods of three years or less as of the board convening date, who are twice or more non-selected for promotion by the V0406B or V0506A promotion selection boards. Other Than Selected Reserve officers are ineligible for continuation consideration. These boards will not consider captains and majors who have previously been offered continuation in the Air Force Reserve in current rank.

Recent change to Section 14701A of Title 10 U.S.C. terminates the requirement that a reserve officer apply for continuation on the RASL. This will afford all eligible officers consideration by the continuation boards without requiring advanced application for consideration. The officer still retains the option to accept or decline continuation if offered.

Using the attached tentative eligibility listing, request MPFs/DPMs contact commanders of eligible officers and advise them that they must submit a package IAW AFI 36-2504, paragraph 10.3.2 if they feel any of their officers are not qualified for continuation. Packages must be received prior to the board convening date.

Additionally, MPFs/DPMs must contact eligible officers and advise them of their option to write a letter to the board IAW AFI 36-2504, paragraph 4.7. If an officer chooses to write a letter to the board it must be addressed as follows: Board President, Captain/Major Selective Continuation Board. Advise officers writing a letter to the board to keep the following in mind: Letter must include signature with SSN; not attach anything that may become or is already a part of their record, for example a draft OPR that is still being processed; not include anything in the letter that is masked for their promotion board (this includes references to Developmental Education (DE) above the level of Basic Developmental Education, or equivalent), and not have anyone write a letter on their behalf.

Letters should be mailed to the following address and must be received NLT 0800 on board convening date (13 June 2005):

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The codes listed in the competitive category (Comp Cat) column on the eligibility lists are defined as follows:

A - LINE	N - NURSE CORPS
D- DENTAL	S- MEDICAL SERVICE CORPS
M - MEDICAL CORPS	W - BIOMEDICAL SCIENCE CORPS

Captains selected for continuation may be continued on the RASL for two years or until the last day of the month in which they complete 20 years of federal commissioned service, whichever comes first. Majors selected for continuation may be continued on the RASL for two years or until the last day of the month in which they complete 24 years of federal commissioned service, whichever comes first. Continued officers will be eligible for promotion consideration for as long as they remain on the RASL. No officer will be continued beyond the last day of the month in which that officer becomes 60 years of age.

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Attachment:
Tentative Eligibility List